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## CONTEST AT THE CAPITAL.

The Great Senatorial Fight Still in Mr Funk Ford, J. Progress.

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### MASON AND LORIMER LEADERS IN CAUCUS.

Detail of the Caucus Vote Last Night--Kanan, Sharrock and Cochran for Mason--The Situation To-Day--No Election in the Assembly -- Caucus Again To-Night at 8 O'clock.

and redeped were the statesmen yef the I cland hotel this morning May had been up all night long planad a bonding to win the senatorial r in riting hours and they had the fa-Hall I appear into of men who had under g n r it mental and nervous strain y a f the candidates have yet with have some are considering such the however only they are wait the moment when they can get ing of the victor. The air is 15 yeard rumors of withdrawal and in Allable pervous condition of a ma

ris f the legislators and law makers, the northernases the furore Every as a main get into hystories over the lgl (st hange. If one is to be led by in at it gossip beard among the the skers and makers of senators it will seem that the whole question will til d tonight. It is claimed by some the the vitations tide is flowing towards or ramin little camp. The managfaction loss portentions candidates has admitted that they have been dis-

t thur forcesto Hitt timer a chances his friends say rillant. It is admitted, how he causes of the Cook county I Hatter the senatorial caucus I was decided that if Lorimer ! a greater strongth than he I ith second ballot he was to I cal county (waous was prot at times a rather stormy one ra if that body said that it h the greatest difficulty that were made permanent

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are and his triands still have hope t y my lication that will arise I siltecome successor to Gen a M. Pidanca in the United States is is some talk that Cook y the water votes to Congress in all many members think the fair as flitt bas been It stong for the place Ev transcript for withdrawale and that and nervous condition of would not take a great deal

tu ; I thoughtfre legislature in the House. No Election

is hear said in the senatorial ques lay the amountment on the table?" 14 Then they impless until eleven I kith hour for the bailot for sena- and declared carried. . Is no before that time the galleries W 111 k i with visitors. When the hour if the speaker announced the fact ination of candidates and Refracatative O Donnell, of Bloomthe Deal crass of the house named ox Gov Algell in a brief but eloquent speech Wik his name in sweetest accorts

BI | 1 | fullst seconded the nomination in the draft that party Perry, of Brown county it cutogized the ex governor. il n v purgytle on Altgeld was de Iv tel it Sichther of Cook. He was A conservator th wells bullivan of cook, who brought harge of Richard-

thus there or brist was rescued from the blads if King Hered and curbed into best ten a donkey, thank God, that not his been the symbol of the the critical parts ? McGoorty and Als. Speaker riend the roll call Republi-Trowbridge, Warder, White, Williams, that in a r mee with the instruction the Republic in point steering commitles of A C was cost for each of the Re-Postem endminten Altgold received

In the Senate-No Choice. When the treddent of the senate aninneed that the hour for the numberti n frindida es for Unit-d States sen

he f l li ui critie vote. No querum

irtigiteld III Jan. 19 -Weary, care jel the name of Hitt, Bogardus that of Cannon, Chase that of W. E Mason, Evwhen a must be excited throng in the ansathat of Hopkins, Fitzpatrick that of Daugherty, Dewoody, Dixon Dincon, Allerton, Sullivan that of Lorimer, Har- I dwards. Flannigan, Fort, Hammers, din that of Carr, Mahoney that of John Joy, Kanan Kincheloe, King Lathrop, M Palmer The only speechmaking was Littler, Lyon, Marquis, Merriam, Metcalf, 3 to y Low had gone to bed before the by those nominating Altgold | The vote | Morey Murray of Stark, Keedles, Payne, resolted Altgeld 13, Hitt. Mason, Hopkins Allerton, Lorimor, Cannon I each

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Adjourned until 10 a in.

Hilly Wason Was in the Lead- The Two Bullots in Detail.

Springfield, Jan 19 - Last night the Republican joint caucus for the nomination of a candidate for United States sen ator was held in the Supreme court room Two ballots were taken with Mr Mason in the lead each time. Then an adjourn ment was tak in until tonight

The caucus was called to order at 8 1 by Sonator Putnam, chairman of the joint steering committee. The roll call showed all Republican a ombera present. Reprosentative Anderson presented a list of temporary officers, prepared by the joint steering committee, as follows

Chairman-Representative Charles A Allen of Vermilion county

Scoretary-Senator II J Dayer, Chi Assistant Secretaries-Representatives

stubblefield of McLoan, and Ward of

Tellers-Scoretary Paddock of the sen

ate, and thatk Reave of the house The report was adopted with the addi-

tion of Senutor Lord as one of the assist ant secretaries. The temporary officers Representative Lulier of Boom moved

that no nominating spechers be allowed "It seems to me protested Mr Coch ian, that in a matter as unpertant as this speeches ought not to be ent off There are doubtless gentlemen here who would like to be heard. We are certainly not ashamed to have the world know all that is to be known about the man we shall mominate here tonight for United State senator I move to amend by limiting the spectos to five minutes "

"I take it, said Mr Miller of Cook that no candidate to be presented to this caucus is so little known as to make it processary to sing his praises here. If we the base the members were too get to balleting for an hour. I move to

The motion was put to a viva voce vote

Fiest Ballot. The cauous then preceded to the nomi-

Robert R Hitt was nominated by Son-14'1 1 of the floor and in behalf of ator Baxter, William Lorimer by Representative Nohe, Clark E. Carr by Repre sentative Murdoon Samuel W Allerton westremently applianded and closed by Representative Funk, William E Ma with these words. If the motives of son by Representative Kinscheloe, A J. male kn we in heaven then angels Hopkins by Senator Granger, Joseph G. Cannon by Senator Begardas, George E

Adams by Senator Anthony. The first ballot resulted Mason, 46, Lorimer, 30, Hitt, 12, Hopkins, 6, Carr 10, Allerton, 1, Adams, 1, Cannon, 10

The vote in detail was as follows: Those voting for Mason were Messrs down to be at one point by declaring Avery, Booth, Case, Cochran, Daugherty, Dewoody, Dickson, Dinsen, Flannigan, Fort, Hammers, Humpbrey, Joy, Karan, Kinchelne, King, Lathrop, Littler, Lyon, Marquis, Merriam, Metoalf, Morey, Murray of Stark, Needles, Payne, Perrotette, Powell of Cook, Rowe, Sawyer, Sorogia. There think is further nomination the Schy. Sharrook, Sparks, Stubblefield, Templeton, Thiemann, Tisdel, Torrance. Wilson, Word, Wylie. Total 48

Those voting for Mr Lorimer were Messrs. Bollinger, Boyd, Busse (F. A.) Busso (R C.), Campbell, Cavanaugh Chapman, Crawford, Curtis, Dwyer, Eldordar, the har cadjourned till 10 o'clock ridge. Fitzpatrick, Glads, Kilcourse, Kingsbury, Lamonte, Laub, Lundin, Meaney, Milley, Morrison, Murray of they sould someol Sangamon, Netterstrom, Nichols, Nobe, Northuagle, Parrich, Powell of DeWith the had britisal Senator Baxter present. Sherman, Sullivan, Thomas, Ward, Wal-the machine. We are fighting for our or-time, as there is no certainty that the sen-joint session tomorrow.

ther Wicdmeler Willoughby. Total-39 Merril Murdoch Putnam. Total, 10 Those voting for Mr Allerton were

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Those voting for George Adams were Messrs Anthony, Olson I dtal, 2.

Those voting for Joseph G Cannon were Messra Alten of Vermillen, Bailev, Bogardus, Dunlap, Garver, Hamiton, Kohlstedt, Munroe, Pemberton, Steen

Those voting for Mr Hittwere Messrs Andrus, Aspinwall, Baxter, Berryman, Bovoy, Buckner, Busell, Fuller, Guffin, McCloud, Noling, Shanahan, Total, 19 🛔

Those voting for Mr. Hopkins were Messra Bryan, Ely, Evans, Granger, Hunt, Hunter Total, 6

There was no oboles, 64 boing necessary to a choice, and a second ballot was or dered It resulted as follows

Second Ballot Mason 45, Lorimer, 40, Hitt, 16, Hopkins, 6, Carı, 8, Allerton, 1, Adams, 1, Cannon 11

The vote in detail follows Mason-Mossrs Avery, Booth, Case, Cochran, Powell of Cook, Rowe, Sawyer, Scrogin, Selby, Sharrock Sparks, Stubblefield, Templeton, Thieman, Tisdel, Tairence, Irowbridge, Warder, White, Williams, Wilson, Wood, Wylle Total, 45

Those voting for Loriner-Messrs. Bollinger, Boyd, Brown, Fred A Busse, R C Busse, Kavanaugh, Chapman, Clawford Cuttle, Dwyer, Eddridge, Fitzpat rick, Glade, Humpbrey, Kilcourse, Kings bury, Lamonte, Laub Lundin, Meaney, Miller Morrison, Murray of Sangamon, Netterstrom, Nichols, Nohe, Northnagle, Parrish, Perrottet, Quanstrom, Saylor, Schubert, Sherman, Sullivan, Phomas, Ward Waither, Wiedmeier, Willoughby. Total, 10

Those voting for Hitt were Messrs Andrus, Aspinwall, Baxter, Berryman, Bovoy, Buckner, Bussel, Fuller, Guffin, Johnson of Lulton, McCloud, Noling, Olsen Putnam, Revell Shanahan. To tai 16

Those voting for Hopkins were Messrs Bryan, Ely, I vans Granger, Hunt, Huntor Total, 0

Those voting for Carr were Messrs Anderson Fisher Hardin Houghton

Merilli, Murdoch - Total, # Phoso voting for Allerton were Mr Ignk Total 1.

Phose voting for Adams were. Mr. Anthony Total, t

Those voting for Connon were. Messra Allen of Vermillon Bulley Bogardus Dunlap Garver Handliton kohlstedt Manroe, Pemberton, Powell of Traquels, Steen Total 11

Here Mr. Murdoch moved to adjourn to so clock tonight to meet in representative all. A roll call was taken and the motion was carried-yeas, 74 mays, 59 Before announting the result Chair man Allen said. 'The chair hopes that every member will obey the joint steering committee \*

The caucus was then declared adjourn ed, to must in representative half at ' a felock tonight

At midnight all the candidates decisive their intention of remaining in the race start out to making speeches we will not It is 'carned authentically, however, that negotiations were in progress looking to the nonination of Congressian Hitt, The adjournment was brought about by the anti Mason men. All of his support ers, except Thuman Joy, Booth and Flannigan, voted against adjournment Lorimer's men voted solidly for adjourn ment Mason wanted to go aboad and fight out the battle

Principals in the Light

Springfield III Jan 19 -- Three men neither of them having any considerable number of votes to start with and neither being seriously regarded as an ultimate winner, were central figures in the fight as it was waged all day yesterday in the corridors and closets of the Leland hotel they were Congressman A J Hopkins. Congressman Joseph G Cannon and W J. Calboun. They were not exactly dark borses nor unknown quantities, but each hald a strategie position which seriously complicated the conditions surrounding Mr Mason and Lorimor, the leaders in

The first detailed information of Conwith the machine, and the plan for rewarding him in the future was made workers the Times Herald. When the machine men learned that their plans said. They made no secret of their intentions If they could not land Lerimer, then they would elect some outsider whom

Machine Fighting for Existence. "No n an will be elected senstor," one

ganization more than we are for the sen-Those voting for Mr Carr were Messrs aforship. That post ion in itself is note | the Republicans to name his successor Arderson, Brown, Edwards, Justor, ing Its value has in the strough which Harding, Houghton Johnson of Luiton, it will give to the organization. We are not whipped vet, and you can bet all you pessess that we will ofther carry through a combination right now which will give us the scuatorship or we will rum the political inture of the man who makes a ting consideration in the house is not numbination and goes back on us "

When the details of the combination with Mr. Hopkins were laid before mem | the senate for the appointment of a comhers and workers they could not refuse to mission to be composed of three members believe They tailled with every plan aceredited to the machine since Maddon and equitable settlement of the indebted nulled out, and fell in perfectly with the reas of the Pacific raliroads to the govern known ambitions of both Governor Tau ner and Mr. Honkins

The governor wants to be senator, as has been pointed out before, but he wants | The fate of the bill is dependent upon fa o wait and succeed Mr. Culion.

Mr. Hopkins wants to be governor might have defeated Mr Tanner in the order fercclosing the mortgage unvention had he not been handleapped convention Although he had been look influence to secure instructions

Combination to Surprise.

There was more than a suspicion at gates in Cook county. At any rate, delegates at large to the St. Louis convenhelp some of the candidates for those hondid not do it. Therefore, the men who time make a positive promise are accustomed to studying the whys were not surprised to hear that he had made a combination with the maching. Calhoun Only a Looker-On-

Mi Calhoun worried the machine more than anybody. The "bosses" tried to make it appear that he might become one of their Allies This mendacious tale was fed to correspondents last night in the form of efforts on the part of the ma chine to get Mr Calhoun into the rai ke There was not a word of truth in the tile The machine has not had any recognition from **bim** Mr Calhoun's position is that i a looker- m.

It can be stated on the very bost author ity that neither now nor at any time has hore been a possibility of his joining is in the field

### WASHINGTON NEWS.

Continued Congratulations Show ered Upon Senator Sherman.

RIGHT OF WAY FOR NICARAGUA BILL.

Col Fred D Grant Addresses the House Committee - Return of Tom Platt to the U. S Senate

Washington, Jan 18 -- Congratulations

nave been showered upon Senator Sher

had decided to become secretary of state under President McKinley, and congratulations have also been wired to Major the public were excluded. McKinley on his success in getting so able and experienced a man for his secretary of state The great business interusts of the country will welcome the sc leation of Senator Sherman for this up portant post, because his well known con servatism is a guarantee that while the foreign policy of the McKipley auminis tration will be firm and strongly Amerionn, it will not be tinged with the disturbing element of jingoism-it will maintain the rights of American citizens abroad, just as its internal policy will gressman Hopkins' position, his relations protect Americans at home, but it will not get up war scares for political effect. which disarrange all branches of business known to the mass of members and and add to the timidity of capital. The corner stone of the McKinley administration will be confidence, and no one thing and bargains had leaked out they put on could have made that plainer to the couna cold front They were out to get the tay than the choice of Sanator Sherman day. The co respondent, Mrs. Charring senaturship for their organization, they to be secretary of state. Mr Sherman's ten and the earl, in the answers filed by resignation as senator will not take effect | thom, deny the allegations of the com until the close of this session of congress, plainaut. se be is deeply interested in matters which may be legislated upon by this congress, Besides, it would not be good policy to

are, as at present composed would allow The Republican steering committee of the senate has given the Nauragua canal bill the right of way in the senate A similar bill has pussed the sinate seceral times, and there is little doubt that this one will pass, but its chances for get considered especially good

Republican.

Sonafor Gent has reported his lill to of the exhinet to determine upon a just ment together with a unanimous report from the committee on Pacific rallroads of which he is chairman, in its favor vorable action by the house on a similar bill, as it would be a mere waste of time The fight he made for the nomination for the senute to pass it until assured of last spring did not allenate the machine the attitude of the house. Meanwhile the leaders from him, but brought him to legal officers of the government are get then notice as a strong man, and one who ling ready to apply to the courts for an

Colonel Fred D Grant, representing the by his fate appearance in the field and by Army of the Tennessee and General S lack of organization. When the nomina B Lee of Mississippi, representing the tion had been decided Mr Hopkins took Confederate Veterans association, made no further part in pulling wires in the a joint argument before the house committee on rules for the setting apart of a ed up to as one of the real leaders of the day for the consideration by the house of Moldinley forces, he made no use of his the bill for the purchase of ground around Vicksburg, in order that future generations may see the battle ground and study the numeuvers made by General Grant, that time that Mr Hepkins barbored a which resulted in the capture of what was soreness because he did not pet more dele-known as the Gibraltar of the confederacy -Cloneral Grant's first really great mili when the convention came to choosing tary achievement. Spouler Reed, who is chairman of that committee, told the gen tion M: Hopkins had it in his power to tiemen that inasmuch as the bill carried an appropriation, it could not be considors who had been ighting for Major ered from a sentimental standpoint alone Mckinley through thek and thin. He and that the committee could not at the

The return of Hop Thomas C Platt and wherefores of political combinations to the senate by the New York legisla ture, recalls the remarks made by himself and Senator Conkling, when they resign ed from the senate Mr Corkling said This ends mo so far as politice are concerned. I shall never again allow the use of my name in connection with any polit nal office. I am done for all time with the game of politics" Mr Platt said "I will re enter politics at this very mo ment and stay in until I die-maybe to got even with certain perfictions scoundrels who have deceived us, and maybe States

Before passing the Oklahoma free homestcads bill, the senate amended it by making its provisions apply to all home hands with the machine in any sort of a steads on 1 ads acquired from the In ded. He has not been and would not dlars and the mounded bill is now in the be, a candidate while William 1 Mason hands of the nouse committee on public lands Sofn as can be learned, there ports of an attempt to kill the blit in committee have no letter foundation than guess work

The Republican includers of the house mogression the new tariff bill, but it is not probable that the till can be completed before about the first of April, even with the most diligent work Attempts which have been made, to give any schedule of the bill at this time are smolv silly Chairman Dingley himself would not try to do it

DIVORCE TRIAL IN SECRET

in the Chimay Case.

Charlerol, Jan. 10 -The action for a correspondents from Paris, Berlin and and with hisses and grosus for the weman since he returned to Washington and present. The public presecutor asked obey When the hisses came the hats in made the formal announcement that he that the case be tried in secret in the in the parquet and dress circle came off as if terest of public decency. The request a gale of wind had struck them, and hairwas acceded to and newspaper men and pins fell into the siste, sil except that of

> The Illinois Legislature. Springfield, Ill., Jan. 19 -The senate received a petition from the Woman's an expanse of roses and nedding pampas Christian Temperance union in favor of plumes tried their best to hide from view woman's suffrage. Among bills introduced was one to repeal the naval militia and dandellons nestled in the underlaw and substitute one empowering the growth, and above all, like the lightgovernor to increase the naval force of the state from four to eight companies. Another bill provides for compelling corporations exercising the right of eminent do main and pay expenses of defendant in sults should corporations not take the property Recess

John Dillon is the Loder. London, Jan.19 —The Irish parliament party re elected John Dillon chairman

The divorce suit brought by Counters Coley against Earl Coley, was opened to

the Hossler Sensior

### ENGLISH PARLIMENT

Formal Opening with the Customary Pomp and Ceremony

THE OUEEN'S ADDRESS IS READ.

Victoria Alludes to Friendly Relations Existing Between England and United States- Approves Arbitration Arrangement

London, Jan. 19 - (Coryrighted by Ag-

sociated Press )-Parliament opened this afternoon. The function was observed. with all the customary pomp and cere mony Early in the morning a strong letachment of police was stationed at various entrances of the houses of parliament-and the traditional search for gun powder mines in the vanits of the house was conducted Shortly after the house was called to order the usher with the black rod appeared to notify the members to procoed to the house of lords to listen to the queen's speech. In the meantime the house of lords assembled and when the commons arrived the speech from the throne was read. It referred to the proession of events in Turkey and Egypt and expressed regret and sympathy on acours of the plague and familie in India louching the relations with the United istates it said . ' My government discuss ed with the United States, acting us a friend of Venezucla terms affecting the question of disputed frontier between the republic and our colony of British Gui ina, that may be equitably submitted to arbitration, and an arrangement has been arrived at with that government which I trust will affect the adjustment of the controversy without exposing to risks the interest of any colonists whose estab lished rights are in the disputed territory

It is with much gratitude that I conluded a treaty for general aribtration with the president of the United states wherby I trust all differences which may arise between the United States will be pracefully adjusted I hope this arrangem nt may have further value in commonding to other powers the considerato go back to the senate of the United tion of the principle whereby danger war nav be not be abated.

HIGH HATS CRIED DOWN

Scene in a Chicago Theatre I mbarrassing for Women in Attendance

Chicago, Jan 19 - Hundreds of excit ed and indignant theatro goors took the high hat question into thele own hands at the Columbia theatre. By bisses and yells that nearly caused a rict they campelled every woman who was present at Nays and means connulttee are making the first night of Sousa's El Capitan to sit bareheaded throughout the restormance. with the exception of those in the buxes and one woman in the parquet, who, in spite of the yells, kept her lefty headpiere on all through the opera-

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The noisy demonstration began before tae curtain went up the first time, and continued after the play began drowning the music and threatening to break up the performance. It was finally quieted by the ushers only when there were prac-Newspaper Men and the Public Shut Out | tigally no more hats to come off The theatre was crowded. The trouble began at the outset, and, from the suddenness divorce against the Princess De Chinny of the outburst must have suggested itself opened today. Those present in court to a hundred persons at the same inwhe t the case was called were newspaper stant. It began with yells of "Hats off," Brussells The Prince De Chimay was men who did not show a disposition to the woman in the paramet, who defied the galleries Her hat was luxurlant in troploal vegetation. Tall paims waved above a bunch of hollyhooks, violets, snowdrops house on Anastasia Island towored a cocomput tree of majestic presence

As a result of the demonstration, Mannger Davis has set apart a room where feminino beadgear will be hereafter shocked during the performance

Ivory's Trial in London

London, Jan 19 -The trial of Ivery, the alleged dynamiter, was continued today There is little public interest in the case The evidence dealt with the move ments on the continent of the prisoner's alleged confederates and detailed Ivory's visit to Clasgow and his arrest

It is Too late

Madrid, Jan 19 -The Herald meserts that the United States has refused to con-Indianapolis, Jan 19 -C W. Fairbanks tinue negotiations to restore peace in was elected United States senator by the Cubs on the grounds that the time for have a vacancy in the chairmanship of legislature in separate session at noon such negotiations has passed. It is offi-Northuagis, Farrish, Schubert, of the "basses" said "unless he hows to the committee on foreign relations at this The result will be formally announced in cially relterated, however, that such nego-

Day.

known farmer lace two and a city, met with evening. He on the head by uber of visitors

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n to close the oluse a large wing shut R the door and as he could scarce mh sa**w that** his at effort to hold in to let it blow dently thought t he was stand

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Jan 17, at 8 b, J P, at the nts, Mr and Mrs. dway, in the preslonds Miss Etta o Norman, who is nr Cereal Milling tendy, industrious le will remain at

parents for a few

the ilinem of the the Pawnee citi everal weeks, and lilne Mound, has the county court now a patient at

**i \$**400. Church street, Deand Monday, Jan d like some horses ds Horses moust n geod floob, and ears old Highest

paid. Seth Pratt.

t Report

## A FEARFUL CUT

### ON THE PRICE OF CLOAKS, AND

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ON TABLE NO. 3.

ONE LOT

Linings, were \$12.00, \$13.50, \$15.00,

You can afford to buy one now, even if you don't wear it once this winter. We must not carry over Winter goods.



### ON TABLE NO. 1.

Our \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 Stylish, Up to Date Winter Jackets, Plain Beavers and Boucle Cloth.

All at one price, 2.95

### ON TABLE NO. 2.

Our \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 Stylish Jackets and Capes, made of the very best Beaver, Kersey, Boucle and Cheviot Cloth,

### All at One Price.

Ladie's Fine All Wool Crepon Dress Skirts, lined throughout with Fine Canvas faced with Velveteen, Early Price \$7.00 Now Only

### 15 Stylish Dress Suits

Reefer Jacket, Very Full Stylish Skirt, made up in the best Tailor Fashion,

Early Prices, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$13.50, to Close at - - - - -



Children's All Wool Cloth Cloaks, Nice Stylish Gretchens for girls from 4 to 8 years old. early Price \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 \$8.00

All at One Price

### ONE LOT

Girls Stylish Box Coats, 8, 10, 12, 14 years, Early Price \$7,50, 7.95, \$8,50,

All at One Price, \*

### ONE LOT

Ladies' Fine All Wool Imported Sweaters, 'Early Price \$3.00, and \$4.00,

All at One Price

### AGAINST THE SALOON

Republican: An ordinanco to change the prohibitive license district on the west side of North Water from Green street to Lesiland avenue, was offered by: Automan Abrons to the city council last night. He was in such a rush to have it pass the council that he asked to have the beese conunity of the boliconers, where He very well knows that there has been three rementrances from the property owners and residents of Water street in the last three years against any extension of territory or having any saloon on this Alleged Definiting Postm strept north of Green, while our churches. are holding extra services, trying to make If the council must have saloons throw art a department of the postal service. cause of so much crime and poverty.

ready. Pinn to exclude salounkuppers back to that city in a few days. and their allies from the city conneil. They have no moral right to govern our cistes. What is morally wrong can never be legally right. The supreme court of the United States has declared in plain terms that the inherent right to sell intoxicating liquor Ly retail does not exist in this country. The court declares that the business of selling liquor as a bever age is not a legitironto business, and may be regulated or probiblied (in the discretion of the law-making power. The statistics show that the liquor traffic is the most profife source of crime and misery, pander long and well before they thrust night another salous in the faces of the Water street residents; we have too many at Property owner, Water street "Pudde'head Wilson" Coming.

the war Frank Mayo recognized senatio merits of the story, dramati in and "Dave Wilson," a queer, williy, wise, philosophical lawg. use a babby of personal identifi-

roos, and no less tavor has followed all of these interesting Missourl people. The play given by the only and the original company will be seen for the first time in this city Thursday night, Jan. 31

### STAK'S FLIGHT STOPPED.

Sam W. Staks on alleged defaulting men and wemen better and dead them to postmaster at Sideli, in Champaign couna higher life. Some morabers of the city ty, fortered too long on his way to Mexico council are trying to multiply the devil's and treedom. He stopped it Austin, traps to bring men down to perdition Texas to visit some friends, and howard Water street is largely a residence street | arrested by Inspector Price of Major Stu-

the city wide open, plant them by your | Staks deserted his office last Puesday, own door yard, plant them by your leaving behind him nothing but a few churches, by your school houses, they stamps and the undelivered letters. He have to pay to maintain its poor seems to Wellnesday of the departure of the postbe the policy of some members of the master. He made an inspection and as council. They seem ignorant of the fact certained the amount of the alleged emthat it is the liquor drinking that is the bezrioment and took the train on the hoels of Staks, in the hope of overtaking Now is the time for our Christian pear him before he reached Mexico. He was ple to arise in their might and say to successful Staks will be ordered removed those interested that we will have no more to Springfield by the federal court in saloons. We have too many by far at. Texas and he is ex sected to be brought

### "A Black Sheep "

It is claimed that those who saw "A Black Shear" when here last season will hardly recognize it as now played, for Mr. Hoyt has changed it so much by adding new Boos, sernes and new "stage business." The specialties are new and novel as well as the music, dances, etc. The cast which will present "A Black Sheep" here is the one which was especially se lected to present this play last season a Hoyt's theatre, New York, where it had a highly successful run of one hundred and in that fast lies the justification of Harlan. At the opera house tomorrow

### New Grain Firm.

At Springfield yesterday articles of incorporation were granted to B. S. Tyler. Stop, of Decatur with a capital stock of Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of Decemincorporators are Barton S. Tyler, Thomas over, 1886. Mark Twain wrote, for one of the great incorporators are Barton S. Tyler, Thomas meagnines, "The Century," a story of A. Bone, Frank L. Evans. Mr. Tyler life in a lower Mississipi river village be- and Mr. Hone have been in business together for some time. Mr. Evans has Dumont & Co.

> Goodge R. Hill of Chicago, is a new and on the balls bay at the A. T. Grist shop.

of the thumb, and who goes around takIng impressions of the thumbs of his
neighbors on bits of glass. And those
bits of glass at last prove his wisdom to
his neighbors, who for twenty-live years

Amusing and instructive.

One of the most attractive leatures in
the college lecture course thus far was the
lecture last right by Prof. W. M. R.
his neighbors, who for twenty-live years

Letter, It was lecture and the Chicago Art instiwere allost marked in reason in
King's New Discovery, as the results

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King's New Discovery, as the results tave called him a "pudd'nhead," has be tute. It was both annusing and instruc-come a real person who has proven the most interesting and popular of stage he-words of approbation on all sides. He brought down with Pre-unonia succeed after the outlines were drawn filled in the forms, making perfect likenesses in both Ingabitode and finally added muscles. making the perfect man, and lastly gave if the finishing touches by adding garments, which made the figure bear a close resemblance to a plug-ugly from one of the lad wards. Each point he made was Illustrated by appropriate figures, bearing cat his statements. One of these was a water scene with a bridge of stone with continuous arches, a rettroad and the lines of light radiating from a coranon center, making a picture most beautiful. Another beautiful scone was the Lake of terrible coughs churches, by your school houses, they stumps and the underlyered letters. He bave such a refining, clevating influenced took with him, it is charged, \$841 of the wire observed in its composition and through a very bad siege of measles. They add so largely in reducing the main-ber of poverty-stricken. The more sp. der funds. Inspector Price, who is locat-leak the county will ed in southern Illinois, was informed definess was observed in diaming faces. definess was observed in drawing faces, The lecture was expeedingly interesting and was listened to with carnest attonnois Courier, Jacksonville, Jun. 23, 496. macy. Admission 50 cents,-18-2t

### Horses Wanted,

Will be at 549 North Church street, Dewill be at 549 North Church street, Decatur, III., on Saturday and Monday, Jan. 23 and 25, 1897. Would like some horses from 1200 to 1800 pounds. Horses must be well broken and in good flosh, and trom five to eight years old. Highest from five to eight years old. Highest market price will be paid. Seth Pratt. -- 18 d3-w1

Morton has built a town hall for public nectings, etc, at an expense of \$1000.

STATE OF OHIO, CETY OF TOLEDO, | 88

LUCAS COUNTY, FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he FRANK J. CHENEY MAKES ORIH THAT BE IS IN SECRETARY ACCO., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that agency the current by the county of the count

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Unstrated the blocking out process by ing La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of drawing the figure of a man and how coughing would last hours with little in terruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick Instances. Ho then diew with his skill- in its work and highly satisfactory in re till hand a picture of a skeleton in a strik- sults." At West's drug store.

> Minonk Register: It is noticed that the addresses at the farmers' institute at Eureka will be made by dectors, lawyers, editors, proachers, toachers, ballers, can diestick makers and almost everybody but farmers. Perlans the language most farmers use would be out of place in such

Chicora, Pa., "Herald:" Richard Vonsel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of

W. L. Robertson of Sibley, while out hunting, came very near being killed by tion by the large audience present.-Illi- the accidental discharge of his rafe. The bullet passed through his neck, almost At opera house, Jan. 23. Plat opens grazing the carotid artery and came out Wednesday morning at opera-house phar- under his shoulder blade without any serious damage.

Minutes seem like hours when a life is at stake. Croup gives no time to send

Miss Sadie Furmen of Greenview, has been appointed to the position of afficial stemographer in the office of the secretary of state at Springfield. It is understood that the appointment comes through the uffuence of Hon. Homer J. Tice.

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clothes to first-class dyers and

cleaners to Miller's Steam

House, 145 North Main street. Mrs R B Windham died suddenly Monday at Plattemouth Neb The de cased was a sister of Mrs Rev H H Oneal of Champaign termorly of Decatur.

C A Towns in the county court ves erday asked that I P Howard be anned as administrator of the estate of Mary Lowne It is worth thout \$300 the petition was granted and bond was ivid at \$100 Henry Wood was given as

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Business Which Was Transacted at a Meeting of the Council Last Evening

BUILDING OF A PATROL HOUSE

Causes a Long Discussion Among the Aldermen Resulting in a Vic tory for Mr Hankins-Other Matters

The question of building a patrol hau o ansed a ling discussion among the alder men at the meeting of the city counci last evening. The so in favor of building the house were victorious. The inatte first came up when the purchasing com mittee reported that in compliance with a resolution passed in May they had pur chased a team of horses, and harness for the patrol wagon and that they had c sketch made for the building of a patrol house on the ground deased from the Ad vance Thresher company They had re colved blds for the work and the whole thing would cest \$173 R M Tolliday bid for the back work and R F Beles for the corporter work. The committee further re-ommonaed that the mayor and ity attorney execute the contracts in be

Resolved I had the city actorney be and is hereby directed to draw contracts with R I Boles and R M Tolliday a cording to the suggestion of the purchasing com mittee and also that the mayor and city Return of the fork be directed to execute said contracts on behalf of the city in connection with the parties named and that the purchasing committee be and are hereby lastruct ed to at the proceed to the building of the patrol house as suggested by them The same to be said for a st of any unex pender fund or funds Signed by W Bold G S Simpson W J Cartor and wife and children leaving them depend A I Golbart

f the report the following resolution

resolution be adopted. Mr. Montgomery leadily requested that the report be laid on the table until the next uncting and this wis per ton crushed to size suitable for hard in ust be discred until the next meeting and Methodists say that in view of the coal base burners and to \$ 50 per ton fer when it is the request of any two aider man stast deeds and present manner ef uncrushed delivored to any pare of the men. Mr flankins objected and said that laving the authorities will undoubtedly per bushel will be harged. One ton of cut the consent of the council but Mont | pulpit noke will burn to percent to ger than just insisted that it was plain law and one ton of hard cont-hence it can be used was not a metter of discussion. Mr. Mr. Haney new eccupies. Hves George W Simpson backed Mr Montgomery and brandt the former husband of the comcity attorney was called to give his upin about the present residence of the return Mr Montgomery objected to this on the children of the fleering paster grounds that the resolution was a part of ] the report. He said that there was no It would be unlawful to take the money He thought the council was in a great aircady. It was suggested that the money

salaries Simpson thought the aldermen were suddenly becoming very careful with the city's money after so much had been spent to bring a strange engineer to the city. He said money was thrown away every night by the council

After more discussion on the question voto was taken on an amendment to refer to the financial committee. This was less only three aldermen DeWitt Cogerty and Montoguery, voting age - The resolution was then passed all veting in favor of it excepting the three above named Saloon Bustness

An ordinance was introduced by Alde man Ahrens extending the saloon licens district so that the west side of North Water street would be admitted. After some discussion, the ordinan e was refer red to the ardinance committee

The liquor license bonds of fitry nine akon men were retoricd to the financ

#### Resolution

A resolution was introduced to the office that A Harpstrite should be be quired to remove his scales at the corner of Broadway and Prairie streets to pic sent has and grain dropping in the gutter and stopping up the sewer inlet The resolution was lest by a tie vote

Alderman Simpson introduced a rewla tion that the mayor appoint three mem hers of the council with the city attorney to confer with the supervisors of Decatur township to redistrict the city and town ship. The resolution was passed and the mayor appointed Aldermen Simpsen, Hold and Hankins with Attorney Lee to act as the committee

Alderman Ahrens Introduced a resolu tion that in i pron be put over the gutter half of the city. The clerk read is a part from the sidewalk to the street at the corpor of last Main and State streets Referred to the sidewalk and crossing ammittee

#### HANEY COMES BACK

Noted Methodist Winiste.

Contad Hanty onto Re. Contad Ha ney has returned to Kenwood Chi ago, and has fixed his home under the very shudow of the church of which he was one the spiritual leader but whose put W Conard and Arthur O dlagher pit he left in disgrace. With him is the werran for whose sake he desirted his ent on the munty of the congregation Mr Hankins moved that the report and whose confidence he had abused

Ar Hamy declares his intention of spending some little time in literary pur suits and sa a that he expects to re-onter seconded by Mr DeWitt Mr Montgom | the Methodist ministry | Befere Mr Ha ery showed that section of the city code ney can do this however the matter must which s ys that anyreport of a committee | he hid hefere the bishops and conference, the matter should not bolind over with voto any attempts of his to recenter the

was in favor of a vete being taken. The pandon of Mr H mey's flight while all ion and he said that the law was plain in ed couple live the men-most of them de regard to such cases. Then Mr Hankins | vout attendants at Mr Haney's sirvice withdrew the report of the committee and [ —who opened their parter to furnish the moved that the resolutions be adopted means of living to the descried wife and

Contad Hancy a ricent carcor is fresh in the public mind. He left Chicago money in the public improvement fund with Mrs George W Brandt a member and that the only way the patrol house of his congregation with whom he was in ould be built was to horrow the money intuated. They went to London, I ng land, where all trace of them was for a from any other fund to carry on the work long time lost liney finally reappeared in America and it is said that Haney for hurry after they had waited six months a year made a living by delivering lec. tures under an assumed name in the cast be taken from the police find but Mr | He then went to Philadelphia, where he Montgomery said the council had no right did literary work. In the meantime both PHONE NOS. 550. o do this as the police fund was to pay Mr Brandt and Mrs Haney had obtained any one

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divorces and the cloping completwere mar Now the knowledge has come like a thunderbolt that they have returned to kenwood and are hving in Forty fourth street, in the very heart of the seem of Hancy s former labors as a pastor

Hanoy was said to have been in Normal about two weeks ago to visit his relatives. His divorced wife lives there now and is conduinting a bearding house

Two Jury Yordicts

Coroner Bonduro had two inquests yes terday on the residental deaths reported n the Republican

In the case of Uriah I decomb the farmer killed by a barn door striking bim on the head, the mry was compoted of Dr. James L. Boyans, L. M. Mc. Kee, C & Wheeler O Keller Charles Glark and 1 d Keeley | The verdict was neeldental death | Ocputy Coroner Roy Bendure empaneled a jury at the Wikoff CReave undertaking establishment last right and held in inquest on the body of Newton Herring | Loreman J G Bloyd and Switchman Fred Middlesworth and Ulie Lairchild were examined — i he ver pnymen wers Dr H D Hell, I I An

Vinity I air Next Saturday Night

edy of the ago with the myrind of pretty its wonderful electric light effects. Don't miss Concy Island by daylight nor the graceful and eccentric dancing girls who st barber shop in the world but go and see the greatest scene ever put on any stage They are all in Vanity Is in and there is more to come. Dure is burlesque complete in stalf, which presouts a swell New York Yacht club in terior where concidians make merry for the guests Vanity Fair is the great cut and best play of the meason it is full of movement life and vivacity | 16 cm tains not one dull moment sec the irrists

Loan Association Officers The annual election of officers of the

officers elected were

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Directors to Serve three Years-D ( hockley and C M Burst

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Chicago, Jan. 19,-Falr and warmer touight; Wednesday, partly cloudy; south-

#### Sherman and Cuba.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: A striking Illustration of the steadying effect of is sponsibility on the person upon whem it is placed is furnished by the case of John Sherman. The senator favored the Cameron resolutions for the recognition of Cuban independence at the time they were first introduced in the senate, just before the holiday recess, but shortly after the recess he began to express dissent from them, and now he says, "I do not believe this government should interfere between Spain and Cuba." The fact that he is to ome secretary of state, in which post he will have to deal directly with the Cu ban question, is the cause of the return to him of his original conservative views or the question of the annexation of foreign

We speak of his 'original conservative views," for Sherman, in many speeches is the sonate, when such issues were up. took ground against all acquisitions of outlying territory. In this matter he adhered to the position of the party of hiyouth, the Whig party, which was an anti annexation party through most of its days. In his "Re-ollections of Forty Years," published a little over a year ago, he said: "Canada and Mexico as Inde pendent republics will be more valuable to the United States than if carved into additional states \* ' If my life is prolonged I will do all I can to add to the strength and prospority of the United States, but nothing to extend its limits, or to add new dangers. by the sequisition of foreign territory 1

The Globe Domeerst, while opposing the recognition resolutions under the ex isting conditions, expressed the opinion at the time that John Sherman, one of the resolutions' advocates, and who had aiready been montioned for secretary of state, would take a saner position if the responsibilities of that office were upon him. This view is confirmed by his present expressions on the Cuban question. On several occasions in the past the sen ator has said things and taken positions which his own julgment and his owr subsequent course condemned, but when orises came-and many of them have come during his career of forty-two years in high political station- he has always risen to their requirements promptly and

Proria Transcript: The signing of the arbitration treaty between this country and Great Britain last week marks the practical conclusion of what will rank in history on the greatest achievement of the Cleveland administration. Such an agreement between the two great English speaking powers of the world is a trimmph of modern civilization, and will unquestionably have an educating effect upon the other powers. Most of the credit for this achievement belongs to Secretary Oluey, who has reinforced blacksins upon the confidence and good will of the people 1861. by the masterly way in which he has carwled through all the delicate and difficult negatiations involved in so important a diplomatic transaction.

### Under Combleration,

Washington, Jan. 19.-Yesterday from a member of congress who has just retorned from Canton the fact is learned that Senator Culiom's name is being seriously considered for the position of scoretery of the treasury. Not only is this so, but the same authority says the Illinois sonator has been "suggested" to Major McKinley by the two acknowledged fluancial experts of the souste--John Sherman and Senator Allison. This is unusual backing, and it is balived here that in consequence the Illinois senator stands at least an equal chance with any of the other people named for the place.

When Senator Allison was at Cauten he talked over the treasury department, declined it for himself, and then suggested the name of Senator Cullom. Major cordial way, and indicated the name of the Illinois man had already been under

When Senator Sherman was at Canton fact week he announced bis acceptance of the position of secretary of state in a very few words, and almost immediately plunged into the discussion of the rest of the enbinet. For the treasury he suggested the name of Senator Culions, and saided that the, Sherman, would be glad to have in the other important place in the eablack man he knew so well and so

favorable as Senstor Cullous.
The touse committee on sbant althou ao estamber est desided to report back the free homes discovery more wonderful than the X ray, and by which it is possible to discovery

In the house the day was devoted to the consideration of private pension bilis. The debate on each bill was limited to ten minutes. Nine hundred of these bills are on calendar.

The expectations of passing a railroad pooling bill which has been pending be-Esterod at Decator as secon I class must matter fore the house committee on commerce has been abandoned.

The bill to prevent ticket scalping was ordered and favorably reported with amendments in the interests of bona fide purchaser's tickets.

Magnificent Presents.

New York, Jan. 19 -The nowest off pring of a Franco-American alliance of wealth and nobility is born with the solidet sort of diamond-studded gold speen to ils mouth. His maternal grandfather, Jay Gould, was once a peddler, but his paternal ancestors of the house of Castelam, helped to sway Franco in its inlight ost day. The joint descendant of demo rat and pristocrat is ushered into a new gold intaid world with a fair prospect, as good as was ever a scion of royalty.

Miss Hoton Gould sent a most chaparate and magnificent toilet for the young hele. George Gould has presented his noble opliew with a solid gold porringer anthing wonderfully engraved and crusted

Mrs. George Gould has given a string of diamonds and saphires—a pretty nough plaything even for the grandsor

of a former surveyer. Howard Gould contributed a tollet set, silver mounted and set with unent saph

res and diamonds. A silver basin and ower are the giftof Edwin Gould, while Mrs. Kingdon has sent a silver bath tub.

These and many more rare gifts are sent from America to the shrine of the newest Castellane. The Marguls on Castellane, baby's pa-

ternal grandfather, has donated a gold saphire-iniaid drinking mug, which has been in the family for centuries. The Marquise gives a box of priceless

old family ince, while other friends and relatives have been proportionately gen

Sull's New Purchase. St. Joseph, Mo., Jun. 19,-A deal was onsummated yesterday whereby Swift & Co., of Chicago, purchased the St. Jospeb strak yards, with the adjacent town site of Mr. George, and the entire plant of the St. Joseph Stock Yards company. The purchase price is said to be about \$100, mu Swift & Co. will take immediate ossession. They propose to creek a mamnoth packing plant here.

#### ing Steamers Collide,

Now York, Jan. 19,-In the parfor this Aternoon the steamer British Queen ound in and the steamer Alven bound out, collided. The extent of the damage has not been ascertained. The British Queen subscipiently anchored and the Alvens proceeded is apparently making for | neess unnecessity rose. This can be zandy Hook bur. Hur stern is under water, how well out. The Queen struck | take hold of the matter in good carnest the Aivena how on

Fire at Vandalla.

Vandalia, Ill., Jun. 19 -- The Catholic durch and the school house which adjoins the church building were destroyed prevenued's. This is said to be unavoidy fire at an early hour yesterday. The hurch is one of Vandalia's old landmarks, having been creeted forty years ago. The buildings were both wooden structures and are a total loss. There was \$350 herrance on the vestments.

### HISTORY IN BRIEF.

Sweden did not adopt January 1 as New Year's day until the year 1753. On New Year's day in ancient Egypt

there were processions in every temple. The legislative union of Great Britain

January I was made New Year's day in France by royal edict in the year

The month of January is said to have been named by Numa Pompilius in 672 The emancipation proclamation of

Abraham Lincoln was issued January 1, 1563. The New Year in Sparta was celebrat-

ed by the conscerntion of youths to military service In the sixteenth century the common New Year's gift of a tenant to his land-

ord was a fat capon. The present system of beginning the new year with January 1 was adopted in Scotland, A. D. 1600.

### POPULAR SCIENCE.

The muscles of the mocking bird's laryux are larger in proportion to the size of the bird than those of any other erenture.

filaments, or, in other words, that the stitutions there are very few Italian blind may be able to see by training names.—La Luce Evangelica. mental perception.

The speculative astronomers have given us some queer calculations and odd comparisons. One of the most comous of these is one in which the relative size of the sun and some of the planets is shown. They tell us that ithe sun could be represented by a globtwo feet in diameter, the earth would be represented proportionally by a pea-Mars by a pin head and Moreury by a mustard seed.

Dr. Jagadis Chunder Bore, professor of physical science in London, claims c tay, and by which it is possible to that and positively curse Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect and range belts and free runs many thou said feet away without the use of wires.

West, the druggist.

Committee to the secretary of state as Springfield. It is understood to the secretary of state as Springfield. It is understood to the secretary of the associated to the product of the secretary of the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the secretary of the the appointment of the influence of the secretary of the

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### NOISÉ AND DISEASE.

Service Produced by Disturb

Noise is againers to persons to as rage health. It interfaces with their sterp, and is a some cot intitation which likely to the vermi distributer of rerve maters. Such problem executly a buch medical skill railed to allay. The tract attention to their wares; another able, and under certain conditions i believe that concrete and asphalt parments will not stand the stram or heatrucking necessary in large cities. At of this is very true if nevrov-fired ve bicles are used, but with the coming of wide-tired wheels, and they are certain to come- a revolution in paying will be fleeted. Aside from these poises ther are others which are extremely 32213-cleater in grain, provisions and stocks, with corvating and could readily be declined transpondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis for the following market quots nusances. These are the whistling, yelling and carousals of youths and men on the street. Then there are fireworks and Ireland took place on January 1, and explosives, cracking of whips and the drumping on barrels and boxes and the trumpet and horn in which the small boy revels. Every person making unnecessary noise should be deemed guilty of a misdemennor and punished necordingly. There are many physicians who believe that scores of business men die every year and hundreds break down in health on account of the inegssunt percussion on their nerves of the noises of the street, which are without reason and might just as well b suppressed if municipalities and individuals had the courage to take a firm stand against them. North American

### Italiane in America.

There are about 1,000,000 Italians in the United States. One-third of them are settled in the principal cities. Haif of these are laborers. Fifty per cent. are illiterate. They are hard and steady workers, very saving, and auxious to improve themselves. When they have no chance to work at their own trade Recent experiments at the Boston they will accept any other kind of work university medical school show that the and any wages. The Italians hate beg ed the name of Senator Culion. Major X ray will produce sensation on the ging. Has any reader of this ever been McKinley received the suggestion in a cells of the cortex of the brain direct stopped by an Italian and asked for a ly, and without mediation of the nerve | nickel? In the record of charitable in-

> Sonetched Him. "Your money or your life," he hissed. The girl, who was taking advantage of the gloaming to mount her wheel, frowned. "Sir," she answered, with a trace of irritation in her manner, "if I felt that it were necessary for me to be held up I should employ a regular instructor. Good evening. - Detroit Tribune.

Bucklen's Armica Salve.

Reers, the famous little pills. A. J. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros. Bruses, Sores, Ulcors, Salt Rheum Fever Sores, Tetter, Cha.po: Hands Chilbiains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions

## OUR GREAT

## ...Still In Progress...

The prices in every department have been cut and slashed until they bear little resemblance to their original size. All of the wonderful prices quoted in our large advertisement will hold good for this entire week.

### Here are Some Special Cuts for Wednesday.

GREAT SALE OF NOTIONS. An immense stock of these fine goods which we do not want to invoice prompts us to make these wonderful prices,

10 gross Pearl Buttons worth 10c, for...... 5c dozen Belding's 100 yd. Sewing Silk, always sells for 10c, now. ..... 5c spool Dr. Warner's security Button Clasp Hose Supporters for children, ages 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 years. Sold for 35, 45, 50, and 55c. The entire lot will be closed Fancy Silk Elastic Web, garter width, which sold at 50c yd. Now...... 15c yard 25 per cent. discount on any Pocket Book, Purse or Handbag in the house. 25 per cent. " " piece of Trimming in the house. of our Fancy Buttons. 25 per cent.

Feather Boa in the house, piece of Jewelry in the house. MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS.

We have about 15 doz, more of those Men's Heavy Shaker Socks. We do not want to invoice them. Everybody asks you 25c for them. Our price to close doz, Men's Heavy Fleeced Laned Shirts and Drawers, with pearl buttons and

French neck, worth 75c suit. Our price to close them out..... 30 doz. Men's Boston Garters. Every dealer asks 25c pair for these goods and they window display. Your choice while they last......

INN SCRUGGS

DRYGOODS & CARPET CO. THE BIG STORE WATER, MAIN & STREETS



25 per cent.

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS -CAR LOTS. Wheat--52. Estimated. - . Year ago, 138. Corn-285; Ketimated, ; a year ago, 871. Oats-371, Estimated, - , a year ago, 363.

RETIMATES FOR 70-MORROW. Wheat, 17, Corp. 223; oats, 151. Hog receipts 35,000; estimated, -- -. Mar et steady, closed 5c lower, Light, \$3 306\$3.50; Mixed \$3 276\$3.42 Heavy \$3,306:\$3 47; Rough \$3 153238 20. Cattle receipts, 3,590 market steady,

HT. LOUTH MARKET. Sr. Louis, Jan. 19.—Wheat, cash, 204c; May, the question. 5%; Corn, cash 20%; May, 22%; Oats, cas 1816c; May, 1846. NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, Jab. 19.—Wheat, May. 85c, Corp. May. 50c; oats, May. 2354c. NEW YORK, Jan. 19 .- Butter, steady, cream ry, 13&20c; Eggs, steady, 12&15c. PROBIA QUOTATIONS PRORIA, Jan 19.—Corn. firm, No. 2 white.

20c; onts, quiet. No. 2, white, 19@20c, Rye, A torpid liver means a bad complexion, bad breath, indigestion and frequent headaches. To avoid such compunions take DeWitt's Little Early

Miss Sadie Furmen of Greenview, has been appointed to the position of official

# YOU—

Will yet need Heavy Clothing. The coldest part of the Winter season is still to come. cannot afford to freeze when you can buy clothing at such remarkably low prices as we sell them.

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Our prices are as low as the Lowest. We do not ask you to take our assertion for this. Look elsewhere first, come to us, and then let your judgment solve

## B. STINE CLOTHING CO.,

245-249 NORTH WATER ST.

NEXT TO BRADLEY BROS.

We enjoyed a There must have We leave our cu

To-day we off tions, feeling con thing necessary dinner; or if ye can find Table D make a small dir vour company, g House and Mark dum, we will see vice and goods 1

In our Market Depart NECK PIECES, SHOUL Round, from 3 to 8 Boiling Meats, fror Roasts - Beef -- fron Pork, from 6c to 81 Pork Sausages, fro Veal, 6c and up per Mutton, 3c and up And ALL THE BE Fresh Fish, Fresh Ne Give us the oppo

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## BECKWITH\_ Grocery House And Market.

We enjoyed a large trade on Saturday. amount of corn going south is simply one not intimately con-There must have been some reason for it. nexted with the trade or with the railroad We leave our customers to guess why.

To-day we offer you many new attractions, feeling confident you can find every- a continuance of the weather dealers are expecting a big increase in delivery. The thing necessary for a plain old-fashioned time of year is at hand for the payment of taxes and ront, and farmers content illimiter; or if you prefer you know you idealing moving from one place to another can find Table Delicacies and Luxuries to from one crib to the other. make a small dinner for a Queen. Invite your company, go to the Beckwith Grocery House and Market, unfold your memorandum, we will see that you get good service and goods promptly delivered.

In our Market Department we have PLATE, SOUP BONE, for Richard Thompson, two miles north-NECK PIECES, SHOULDERS, RUMP PIECES-

Round, from 3 to Sic per pound. Builing Meats, from 3 to 7c per pound. Roasts Beef -from 6c to 10c per pound. Park, from 6c to 84c per pound. Pork Sausages, from 65c to 85c per pound.

Yeal, 6c and up per pound. Mutton, 3c and up per pound.

And ALL THE BEST CUTS AT CLOSE PRICES. Fresh Fish, Fresh New Vegetables, Finest Fruits, Etc.

tive us the opportunity and we will do our best to please you.

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Grocery House and Market.

Powers' Building, 124 South Water Street. BOTH TELEPHONES 113.

## WANTED...

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## Old Gold and Silver.

Highest Market Price in Merchandise at comb were taken this morning to La Lowest Cash Value.

W.R.Abbott&Co.,

JEWELERS.



At Prices to Meet All Pocketbooks

Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Hosiery, Corsets.



GRAIN BLOCKADE RAISED

Contral Again Able to Deliver Corn Into Orleans—The Local Situation.

The grain blockade on the Central has been raised and the company is again hauling corn into New Orleans. Shipments south have been held back for several days on account of the lack of switching facilities in New Orleans. The tracks have been completely filled. For a week past there have been stored in Bloomington an average of severy-five car loads of corn bound for the southern pert. This corn came in from the north on the main line and on the Kankakee branch. The has any conception of the movement. The reduction of the east bound rates from Chleago will have a tendency to at tract more corn in that direction. With will sell out rather than haul the grain

Blue Mound

ported dangerously ill He had 1 mastes and took cold which settled on his lungs.

Frank McKennie of Taylorville, was in trying to raise money to employ atterneys to defend Ed Hamilton who is in pall at Taylorville charged with neurder.

Several carpenters are at work during this fine weather in building a new house west of town whose house and contents were burned two weeks ago.

Rev. W. L. Ennefer, who has been em played by the Christian shurch as paster for this year, moved his family here last

Pire in the Country.

The Charles Troutman farm house of four rooms between Wyckel's switch and Harristown, west of Decatur, was burned to the ground this forencen. Mr. Troutman was in the attic with a lighted match looking for an article. He dropped the match and in a few maments the house was in flames. Mr Troutman had to hustle to escape cremation. The fire was witnessed by Constable Conard who was in that neighborhood on a business trip.

Death of a Clobb,

Ruth, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward Caldwell, died of whooping Bough at 3 o'clock this morning at the family rosidence, No. 1160 East Wood street, nged one year and six menths. The fu noral will—be held as 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the residence. The services will be conducted by Rev. Cooper of the A. M. E. church and the burial will be at Greenwood ceasefery

Born-To Mr and Mrs. Thomas Culp. d No. 551 Gault street, on Jan. 17, a son. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. John Kitchen of No. 1111 East Orchard street, on Jan.

The Belaware Senator.

Dover, Del., Jan, 19.-The regular or Democratio house and senate in separate session elected Richard Keppy United Matterndorf, in the Australa Salzkam States sonator. The "rump" legislature elected J. Edward Addicks.

Called to See Hanna.

Cleveland, Jan. 19 .- Senator Shoner of Wisconsin, arrived this morning and quent mest of the day in conference with Honna. The exact object of the visit was

church at that place at noon today.

Notice of Charity Board Meeting, The Decatur charity board will hold a meeting temerrow afternoon at 2:80 o'c.ook at the W. C. T. U. rooms. By order of the president.

We are never disappointed in our wants take near by. on ducks, goese, or turkey for our Sunday dinner at Pearl Oyster and Fish Co.—19-11

Stapped Fiddling. Berlin, Jan. 19,-Fritz Spahr, the American violinist, sucided today.

Installed. Washington, Jan. 19 -Rev. Dr. Thoma J. Conaty was formerly installed rector

Catholic university this afternoon. Squirrols, rabbits and any game desired can be had of us. Pearl Oyster and Fish

Monstos have finally reached Homer. Or. Williamson reports four cases in the vicinity all of which are outside the viltage limits.

Morton has built a town hall for public nsetings, etc, at an extense of \$1000.

A weed in the garden can be easily destroyed when it first starts. Consumption can be nipped in the bud by One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armstrong Bros.

The city council of Doman has passed an ordinance problimting the sale of ci. arettes or diga ette paper within the city limits. A gool ordinance.

LOST-A dear attie could who made home happy by its smiles. And to think, it might baye been seved had the parents only kept in the house One Minute Cough Care, the infallible remedy for croun. A. J. Stoner & Son and Armetrons Bros. SHORT MISCELLANY.

The cultivation of sugar beets has proved so profitable this year on Grand Island, Neb., that farmers have sold their crops for sums double the value of the and on which they were grown.

It is said by philologists that there are 1d original languages, the Greek, rayan, Trish, Albanian, Tartarian, Illyin, Jazygian, Chancin and Finnie.

The eyesight of a San Francisco cat iccame defective, and the owner, Misa Thompson, induced an oculist of that ity to make a pair of spectacles for he animal. Now the cot can see as well as ever with their aid.

The problem of cheap living has been olved by Rev. Miles Grant, of Boston. the daily diet is graham bread, milk, obesse and vegetables, and he continues to mana hun good he**ns**thad a cost of 57 cents a week.

Stont canes in large numbers have for ome time been conveyed across the Prussian border into Russia. The ezar's fficials at last examined the canes, and found them stuffed with inhilistic lit rature, printed on tissue paper.

Columbia college is to have a gym nasium which will cost \$500,000. There will be a running track one-ninth of a unte in eireumference amh 112 feet wide J. W. Gorden, three miles south, is re- high, 100 feet wide and 100 feet th

An ancommon accident befell the lit tle daughter of Washington McKinny, of Sparts, O. She was coming from school, holding a pencil in her hand when she stambled and tell. The pencil panetrated her chest, touched the heart and exused death.

While crossing a field in York, Pa where there were several large from ipes, John Berkery was pursued by a icious hull. To escape the animal, be crawled into one of the pipes, and lay there until the ball tired himself test

ng his horns against the stout iron. Throughout the entire world there ire about 20,000,000 square miles of unexplored territory. In Africa there are 5,500,000 square miles; Aretic regions, ,600,900, Antaretic regions, 5,300,000; America, 2,000,060; Austrilia, 2,000,000,

#### FOREIGN GOSSIP.

Prince Louis Lucien Bonapurle's great philological library has been sold to a Landon bookseller, as the efforts to raise money enough to buy it for

Relyingfors university in Sweden has this year 2,161 students, of whom 264 are women, 59 of these are under the mall cuartical, 117 under the philosoph ical and 57 under the medical faculties

I rancl que Sarcey, the Paris dramatcritic, has won his suit against Le Petit Journal for summarily dismiss ng hiai, obtahung \$50 dam iges. dismissid was due toda's using very col meaning of "Kip-Kif bourtient," which has lately spring up in Paris.

Schoonlag, the head of the claque the Vienna opera house, where Han-Richber is conductor, recently profitee by a henefit performance on the occu on at his complexing 25 years of serv see. He is the inventor of the brave a entena, a chain of braves starting b one corner and taken up in different parts of the diouse.

A heathen burying ground, with ant sheletons, was recently dog up at pergut. Many of the bodies were are foot seven inches fall; they were all buried with the feet to the cast, each unclosed in a circle of stones, with a stone under the head. Large carring and targer rings were found on them. and one skeleton held a knife in its No signs of Christian Durial were discovered.

### FOREIGN PICKINGS.

Taken to I a Place.

The remains of the late Uriah Edgeomb were taken this morning to I.m.

(Copenhagen is to have an elevated running along the shore from the city to the woods at Charlottenium the motive power will be electricity o ompressed air.

At Dolhain, on the Belgian frontier loward Germany, the whole population went to the railroad station recently to hoot the count of Flunders, with his son, Prince Albert, and his son-in-law. he duke of Vendome, breause the count had employed Germans on his ex-

Sweden will send un expedition to Konig Karl's Land, east of Spitzbergen, jext summer, which will also explore the other islands and the undiscovered region between Spitzbergen and Franz losef Lind. Last year's rush to Spitz-bergen shows that the difficulties of such an expedition are little more than hose of a summer cruise.

An extraordinary story of the credulity of Russian pensants comes from slavyansk, in southern Russia, where woman whose little ten-year-old girl had sore eyes consulted with a witch toctor and was told to apply ganpowder o the child's eyes and touch it off with a match. She obeyed, blinding the child and injuring herself

### MEN OF LETTERS.

Some one asked Max Nordeau to de ine the difference between genus and neanity. "Well," said the author of 'Degeneration," "the lunatic is, at least, are of his board and clothes."

One hundred and fi'ty copies of the new Thistie edition of J. M. Barrie's works were pointed on Japan paper, and every copy had been subscribed for before a single volume was ready for de-

Paul Bourget has been in Ireland, in the neighborhood of the Lake of Killarney, nearly all the past summer, makag notes for a short novel or novelette which he is now writing, the scene of which is laid in the distret mentioned. The story will tell of a French family which, having to fice from France for political reasons, settled in that romantic spot.

ORLANDO

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OFFICE BULLETIN.

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DR. B. L. MAIENTHAL, PHYSICIAN, SUITE 322.

DR. J. G. HARVEY, Will remove from Arcade Building to his new office, Suite 348, Orlande Powers' Building.

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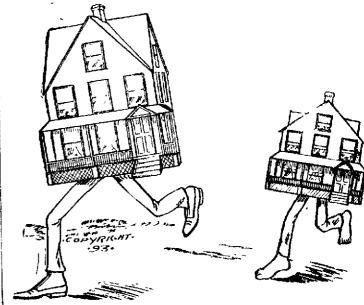
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Through INVOICING and have MARKED DOWN OUR STOCK to Prices Lower than can be made by any other dealer in the city.

COME AND SEE US.

Overcoats, Ulsters, Heavy Suits, Caps, Underwear,

Gloves and Mittens,

All Must Go.

COME AND GET THEM.

No Old Chestnuts in this Stock.

129 North Wat

## What if Not Miracles?

The great Four-C Remedy is doing work wherever introduced as nearly miraculous as it ever falls to the lot of any human agency to do (1 will esteem it a favor for any one interested to write the persons whose names apocar below or anyone whose name may appear among these testimonials.)

My aim is to convince the public of my sincerity and of the true merits of this remedy.

UNBROKEN REST AT NIGHT.

Office Commercial Printing Co., 196 South Clark St.
Chicago, Nav 24, 94

#### BENEFACTORS OF THE RACE.

Office of "Engrange Trace," [
Kinglisher, Okta, Irec, 12, '95]

Destroams, — believe it my duty to verte you a line in regard to the benefichal effect of Phelips'
"Four C Remedy," so far as I am personally concerned. A week ago last Thursday, I was taken with a severa attack of is grippe and in a short time breame so loarse I could not spak above a whisper. The night previous I had coughed mearly the entire night, just before ceiting I took a tempoconful, and slept the enture night, as weeking one I was entirely relieved before taking one battle Philips' Cough, fold and Croup Cure should be in every household in the land. I send you this wholly unaclicited by susyon, for you are benefactors of the race in giving it the suredute for some of the worst afficiency Care, Cough, Care as the conditions to which I it hear R R. Phelps. Esq., City.

Chicago, Nav. 24, 94

R R. Phelps. Esq., City.

Draw Six.—I wish to bear testimony to the great efficiency of your "flour C" remedy in throat and lung address. As a rule I have been skeptical of the merita of propir tary mediatines, but have to could set that a test of your "flour C" is convincing that at a set on ready made remedy is worthy of use. My children all take it without the least objection, from oldest to youngest and it is particularly moticeable that benefit is almost immediate. A single dose will clicate too teologis in those beginning: it gives an uncorken rest at night. In my family "four C" is simply indispensable and I recommend it unqualitiedly.

A B. R. LELING,

ACUTE LARYNGITIS.

Chicago, Sept 25, '95

For years linch, such winter I have suffered with acute Laryngitis. Linch winter have suffered with acute laryngitis. Linch winter was so bad teoual not leave my room for two weeks or speak above a whiteper. I tried every known cough preparation from cough drops up and down with no relief, then in desperation I was induced to try things. "Four C." The first dose rolleved in cough, giving me the first night's rest for weeks. Half the bottle nured me. I have never been without this wonderful remedy since. It also there without this wonderful remedy since. It as different from other like remedies as molasses from vinegar or surface from sand.

Mus. Jonew E. Grund Mus. Jonew E. Grund Mus. Jonew E. Grund M. A. MIBACLE. Last Friday, Due 19, my attending physician stated unless I was better by morning be could do nothing for my reiner. That might I commoned taking Phelp's "front" remedy, stopped all other medicines. The first does stopped my cough: slept and rested well in few more does a removed all sorresses from my lunger the second day I was up; the third day I was out on the porch and to-day was up town nurchasing holiday goods.

Washington Ave. and Summit St.

CROUP CURED.

dose of Phelps' Cough, Cold and Croup gave my child instant relief when attacked

Gus Mailson Ave,

IT IS A MIRACLE.

Conductor Lekard, the Railroad Correspondents of the Neoducha Kansas Register, has the to say of "Four C" "Fleeps is having a wonderful sale of his Cough and Cold Remedy, We personnilly know it is just what it is represent to be "Too much cannot be said in its prat". NOTICE TO DRUGGISTS AND THE PUBLIC.

CONTRACT.—Druggists are authorized in ALL CASES TO REFUND THE PC. CHASE PRICE, if the Four-C Remedy (Phelps'Cough, Cold and Croup Cure) factor give satisfaction in Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma, LaGrippe, Coughs and Colds, matter how long standing, or deep seated, in fact I guarantee in all manners Bronchial or Lung trouble, not as a Cure-All, but to give unbounded satisfaction, Give it a trial on the above conditions. I take all chances.

R. R. PHELPS, 118 53d Street, CHICAGO, ILL, Prop.

For sale by Armstrong Bros., C. F. Shilling and W. H. Hubbard

# That heritage of rich and poor, has saved

many a life. For Throat and Lung affections it is invaluable. It never fails to cure Cough, Cold, Croup and Whooping-Cough. DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP is the best. Price 25 cents.

Chew LANGE'S PLUGS. The Great Tobacco Antidote, IDc. Dealers or mail, A.C. Meyer & Co., Balto., Md.

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### All Goods at Fire Sale Prices.

COME AND GET WHAT YOU WANT. The fire loss of December 28 has been adjusted and all new and slightly damaged goods-as good as new--will go at astonishingly low Donay; on the Italian, Lyon, Geenoble tigures. Come early. Dry Goods, Groceries - everything, are and Besauc m, and on the Vilantic coast, in THE GREAT BARGAIN SALE.

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NEW TELEPHONE, 248.

The Fact That

Pillsbury's Best

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Your Grocer Will Supply You.

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in having VITA LIN, noguer, on the part pocket. By mail \$1.00 per package or all the \$3.00 with a guarantee to Cure or Herand & Morrey. Circular Free. Address CALUMET MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

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#### I Have Not There's No Moved\_ **Getting Around**

am still at 1080 North Main Street but am willing to move all my goods at the following low prices: 50 lbs. hand picked Navy Boans, \$1.00

9 bars Lenox Sosp..... 11 bars Calumet Family Sosp.... 5 gal. W. White Oil.

These prices are for Spot Cash Only.

S. S. ALLSUP. 1080 NORTH MAIN ST. New Telepone 545.

CREAM PATTIES

**THURSDAY** 

HARRY SNARR'S.

omething Special every Tuesday and Saturday at Reduced Prices

will be

Displayed in the Windows..

BLOOD POISON

### DOINGS ABROAD.

The personal property left by the late Archbishop Benson, of Canterbury, s valued at \$175,000. A thousand men in a West Hartlepool

(England) shippard recently went on strike because a policeman had been staioned on the premises. Eighty-five hundred dollars, the

thole profit for last season of the house of commons hitchen, has been invested by the committee in claret.

Domenico Comparetti, the Italian philologist, who has tiled to do for the oll, fore of Italy what the brothers seema did for that of Germany, has ust been elected a foreign associate of he Paris Academy of Inscriptions in place of the lete Ernst Cartuis.

A young woman has received the uns nat honor of the freedom of a Landon guild. She is a daughter of Lord Ausherst of Hackney, and having written a Mistory of Gardening in England," has just been thus honored by the Wor hipful Company of Gardeners.

In the St. Sepulchre church in London there was found in an old chest recently he bell which in Stuart times used to be rung by the caser outside the cell of a ondenned felon on the night before cention. The bell will be tung up in coust cours place in the church.

Street ears are beginning to make way garnst ommouses in England. Petiions for 29 lines in Birmingham alone to now before parliament, while Leeds, Manchester, Sheffleld, Bradford, Halifax and Huddersfield all apply for power to construct new transmays. Gross vandalism has destroyed some

atevesting Druidical remains on Dartnoor. The "stone avenue" at Bel Tor corner, on Sherherton common, and usny "hut circles" and "menhirs" have hsappeared, the stones having been broken up by contractors to fill up the inless in the tond-amount.

### MILITARY FORTIFICATIONS.

The fortifications of Vicksburg, Atlanta and other points in the south are of earthworks, hustily constructed, though the positions chosen were generally of great natural strength.

The principal fortresses of Austro Hungary are Cracow, Przemysl, Karlsburg, Arad, Temesvat, Komorn, Peterwardein, Budn-Pesth, Pola and Triste, the last two naval harbors as well. The parapet projects over the top

of the wall, and, pierced with holes to malde the besieged to attack an enemy close to the fool of the wall, was almost ontemporaneous with the wall. The first system of modern fortilication, that is, after the invention of

artiflery, was that of the bastion or Italian system, a bastion being a millitary work consisting of two faces and two flanks. Little Belgium has several firstlass fortresses: Antwerp, and the fortified towns of Dendermonde and Diest, on the Mense, Laege, Huy and

Numur, and on the French frontier, Mons, Tom may and Ypres. France has, on the German Jaontier, three first-class fortresses- Relfort, Verdun and Briancon; on the Bel-rian frontier, Lalle, Dunkirk, Arras and

ea is commanded by the lectross of Aden and the fort on the little is I and of Perm, in the strait of Babel-Manleb; the gans of the latter completely sovering the narrow channel, and the fortress dominating the entrance to

### THE FARM AND FARMER.

Subsoiled land washer less than un ubsoded, as it holds water better. Potatoes boiled, mashed and mixed with wheat bran make excellent feed

for ducks. The North Carolina station advises treating stored grain with bisulphite of

earbon to kill weevil, rats, mice, etc. Keeping the boys on the farm is impurlant, as the laim often offers more opportunities than the cities, but the farm should be made attractive for the girls also. Every little girl should be given a flower gorden and taught how

to grow flowers of all kinds. Great Britain has more than 30,000,-000 sheep on a territory not greatly in excess of Minnesota and Iowa. France has 20,000,000 on a much smaller area. With their high-priced land they seem able to make profit out of their sheep. This country has room for a much greater number.

Rotation enables the farmer to get larger crops. At the experiment staupon which corn, roots and onts were grown the yield of wheat per acre was five bushels more than on land upon which wheat had been grown several years successively.

### FLASHES OF FUN.

"Uncle Simon, what is a pneuma-"A phenomenon is a man who gets so rich that he won't accept a pass on a railroad."- Chicago Record.

Mrs. Newlywed (in tears) - "You used to say that you would die for me." Mr. Newlywed--"Well, I would now." Mrs. Newlywell-"Well, you may now." -Judge.

Customer-"Say, waiter, who uses those private rooms over there?" Wniter-"They are for the accommodation of people who's makin' their first attempt to eat spaghetti."-lioxmry Gazetie.

Papa-"Where did those wooden sticks on the floor come from?" Mambites on the noor come from: Manna—"Oh, those are pieces of Willie's indestructible tool box." "And these bits of plaster?" "Why, that is a part of the unbreakable doll we got for Mary."—Life. A New York department store has

employed a well-known pugilist to sell sporting goods from its counters. This is evidence that the talking abilities of the modern prize fighter are beginning to receive due appreciation.—St. Louis

### THE FATHERS OF SCIENCE.

Painting is believed to have originated in Egypt. The oldest known statue, made 1006 B. C., that of an Egyptian. chief, is of wood and painted. Osymundyas, an Egyptian monarch, 2100 B. C., had a court painter who depicted the wars and conquests of his toyal master. The first Greek painter was Polygnotus of Athens, 460 B. C.

THE invention of geometry is attributed, by some, to the Assyrians or Chaldean philosophers, by others to the Egyptians. Geometry was brought into Greece by Thales, in 600 B. C. The study was greatly improved by Pythagoras and brought to perfection by Euclid, 300 year B. C. The researches of Archimedes were made in the third century before Christ.

Botany was scientifically discussed by Aristotle about 317 B. C. He is avknowledged to be the father of the Works on botany appeared in terence. everal European languages about the dose of the lifteenth century, general ittention being at that time directed to ward the study of this science. The litst encyclopaedia of plants appeared

The first encyclopaedia was compiled by Abulpharing ois in the thirteentheen The famous French creycloury paedia, by Diderot, D'Alembert am main other noted scienteds, was compiled between 451 and 1780. The Jainese have an encyclopaedia in 6,109 olines, comprising all the books of value in the Chairse literature. It was compiled by command of Empero Kang He in 1661.

### FOR THE WAGE-EARNERS. Child labor in Michigan has been

prearly tesserved by the computerry decidion law. The supreme court of Ohio bas de

clared that the mechanics lien has a unconstitutional in that state. The Loudon Mail says the Electric

Cab company will within a few weeks put 250 horseless, cabs on the streets to A Pintopean firm rately ordered at

Paducab, Ky., 900,000 feet of lumber in 5,000 pures, half poptar and half oak The lumber business has been good. Augusta, Gu., has 12 cotton factorie

that run full speed and paid tull wapes all through the panie, and paid six p i eent dividends. Six hundred African laborers from the longo Free State have been landed at

Colon, Colombia. They will be put to work on the Panama canal. A professor in Wisconsin has invented a milking machine which will milk about one quart per minute with the

aid of a man and some power to work the machine. One of the higgest cooperage factories in the United States is to be built at Birmingham, Ala., to make harrels to vinegar, turpentine and other liquids

equiring superior coops age. Arizona convicts have been leased for ten years at 70 cents each a day, their labor to be utilized in constructing an iringsting canal that will make productive 100,000 acres of arable land.

### NOTES A-WHELL.

The brakeless bicycle continues to be the subject of exhaustive (and exhausting) editoral condennation.

A Boston eyeling girl announced her engagement by saying she had gone into the hands of a recence.

The general post office of London has invited bids for 10,000 bieveles, to be used in the submiban postal and telegraph service. It is stated that the falling off in the

demand for eigars in the United States this year amounted to 7,000,000 and this oss is largely crodited to cycling.

The dog dealers of Philadelphia are lamenting that there is no longera brisk demand for their stock, and of course they lay the blame to the bieyele.

Md., that the indge of the enemt court at that place sentenced a young man to five years' imprisonment for stealing a bicycle.

Germany is one of the countrie abere excling is taken up least by women. German women teldom go in for much outdoor exercise; they are too distinctly domestic in their habits.

A three-wheeler eyele equipment for the conveyance of coffins is the latest invention. It was in the brain of a New York man that the idea was first conceived. Thus the eyelist may now journey on the wheel from the eradle to the grave.

The Century Road Club of America has adopted a new rule, recognizing a 30 and a 60-day mileage record. Rules poverning the same are identical with those governing the century and mileage records for the calendar year. Thomes E. Cook, of Paterson, N. J.

who is 94 years of age, rides a hicycle very day, and says he thinks the bicy cle is a most healthful and invigorating sport. Mr. Cook is an old-time circus clown, and has traveled in nearly every civilized country on the globe. The high boot for women when ev

cling bids fair to be more or less superseded in the future by the low shoe, amany wheelwomen have found out by experience that anything tight about the ankle interferes with the free motion that is absolutely essential to graceful riding.

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dus.
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Prom the counce of my vest,
To awaken me from musings that grew

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Ah, sharp us swords cut the unknit words.
That are far his old recalling.
When a face lies hid neath a coffin ild,
And bitter tears are failing.
We fain would give the lives we live.
To undo our idle scorning.
Then lets not miss the smile and kiss.
When we part in the light of morning.
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The whirling snows heap summer's hier.
The brave, hearse notes that sparrow.

But mock the lark's transporting lays-A shivering bird makes little cheer.

Nay, I will pipe of violets dear.
Of matins jubilant and clear.
Of mellow skies and sun girt day.
Of deffodits and bawthorn oprays.
Till, haply, one may feel them near.
In winter time.
...Einma C. Dowd, in Youth's Comp.

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On these sad pages of the year, And only grieve for oygone Maye In winter time?

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After trying several other kinds of medicines
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In Wubash in connection with the I D & W and ( II & D Railways has inaugmated a line of sheeping and parfor cars on the night trains between Hannibai Decator, Indianapolis and Cincinnat!

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Mardi Gras at New Orleans March 1st and 2d, 1897.

Announcement of reduce rates for this or asion will be made in due session particulars f which can be learned of your home agent

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Electric Bitters is a medicine suited Friedtic litters is a medicine suiter for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the lan guid, exhausted facing provails, when the liver is to pid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious forces. We readly us will at more suitely as more suiter.

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Dr I. Kuttinger, a making physician of Wilmington, Del, asked the proprietor of Brazilian Balm to send him a dollar bottle. A few weeks afterwards the doctor said: "I had a couple of cases of

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The Kankakee Water Company has

Friday, Pebruary 12th, 1897,

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the County Court of Macon county, State of Thing's —In the matter of the ostate of Edwir

Winter Tourist takes are how of the points south and south est.
Settlers Half Fare rates to points south every ist and at Tuesday of each month.
Take the Lew Daylight Special for Chicago and St. Louk.— tolid Daily train.
City Theket Office removed from 110 Library Blook to 121 East Wilham street, directly across the street. Telephone New No. 88 Old No. 480 Union Depot Telephone No. 47, New.

ofore the meeting Decatur, Illinois January 7, 1807 7-did ALBERT SARNES, Secretary

No. 325 East Main Street.

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE. EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of George Q Baker, Deceased

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the extute of George Q Baker
lated the county of Macon and State of Illinois
decoased, hereby gives notice that she will appear
heafare the County Court of Macon county, at the
court house in Decatur, at the March term,
on the bist Monday in March next at which
lime all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the
urpose of having the same adjusted. All per
sons indebted to said estate are requested to
make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 15th day of January, 1807

SARAH ANN BAKER Executrix.

Jan 15-63w

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The firm of Akers, Sanford & Co has to-day been dissolved. F. Sanford retiring. C. K. Akevs and & G. Wilson will contine the busi-ness. They will pay all bills and collect all ac-counts due the old firm. Decatur, Ill., Jan. 7 1897.

FOR SALL A large cannon heater in good order just the thing for office or business house. Will sell chean. Also a large and com-

plots the of second hand turnture ho ing goods, et WM CHANCI 43 I street Jun

For Sale-Horses on Easy Payments.

TOR RENT Building and offices on North Water street first door south of Brenneman building formerly occupied by Smith & Calkins It is the best leading in the city for a dry good-store, and is litted for that purpose Inquire of J. R. RACS, at Race Clothing to 15 dos

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R. Rooms I and 2 third floor Review Building, North M distrect

THE Blue Grass Carriage shop—Your vehicle insured and stored at my risk free of cost frequency or repainting is necessary for spring use—Oceans of mod dry room, and I want one to two hundred vehicles in these terms—Corner of Fast Math and Franklin streets—Jane-diff

I INENS PRFF In Battenburg and all Art I Work during the month of January, to all those having comin neud pieces. Also stamped linens and lable illens sofa coshions, in the intert patterns, also fulshed pieces in Batten burg and silk. To close out I will sell below cost at the Woman's North Main Street Exchange afternoons. MRS JOHNSTON Jan 11-06\*

CITY COLLECTING AND RATING AGENCY. He rents buildings and collects all kinds of claims at the most reasonable prices. Satisfac-tion guaranteed. Call on or address GEO, W. CUSTER, Room 80, Aroude Building. Jan 8-dif.

CERRO GORDO, ILL., IN WANT. They have been accustomed to two Drug Stores, one has retired leaving a well and central room for rent, A good chance for business L. S. ATER, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Throng Steeping of daily trem St. I mis so lacksonvilled Chilmois Central and Birming from 414 and Atlanta Ga. Sheping Car Selectic common the florewith from Chicago, and from Sieux City.

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**MEXICO...** via the Central Route under the ausphess of the American Tourist Association, will leave Chi Lago JANUARY 19th, 4897. FERRUARY 87th, 1897. Lickots include a Laxpeners, italiway, steeping and Duing Car Fares, Hotels, Usr-riages, etc.

WEST AND SOUTHWEST

Dr. T. S. Heckins, Dentist, House Block, ground floor.

## ROGERS BROS.' Knives, Forks and Spoons.

None Genuine Without "1847" Stamped Upon Them.

These "1847 Rogers Bros." make is the old original bran of Silver Plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, and cost more in the market than any Rogers make. Please do not convound it with Wm. Rogers, Rogers & Brother or any other Rogers, without the "1847 Rogers Bros." trade mark stamped Clark Flores, Rec. of Silver Plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, and cost more in upon them. There are twenty imitations, all of which use Knights of Pythias - Regulat convent the word "Rogers" in some shape, but none but the genuine of P. this (Therefay) evening in their Castle and William areas. dare use "1847 Rogers Bros."

You should get our prices on

### Solid Silver Spoons.

We are showing a very fine line at VERY LOW PRICES.

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### Diamonds, Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.\_\_\_

### OUR SECOND FLOOR CHINA DEPARTMENT

Is second to none in the State, and we are showing Dinner Ware and Toilet Ware in a very large variety of patterns, and at prices equal to corn at 15 cents a bushel.

Our House has been Established Over 20 Years at 156 EAST MAIN STREET.

## Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

## Grand Clear 'Em Out Sale.

We are going to clean up all the odds and ends that we have in the house. There is nothing the matter with these "odds and ends" they are just as good shoes as they ever were, but the sizes are somewhat broken and have purchased and which will soon be arriving. When we start in on a Clearance Sale we do not do things by halves, but we make the cuts so deep that they command attention. In fact

### Prices Are Knocked Silly,

And remember all the time that these shoes which we are offering at such low prices are up-to-date in style. well made, desirable, nothing the matter except that the sizes are somewhat broken. If we can fit you we can give you a bargain such as you read about in old times but seldom see nowadays. Our ladies' handwelt shoes, dongola, vici kid sold for \$3.00 per pair and were cheap at that, now marked down to \$2.25. Ladies' handturned vici kid shoes, regular \$4.00 grade, and well worth that price of anybody's money, now only \$2.65 per pair. Ladies' \$2.50 vici kid shoes, in all the new toes; these shoes have been the talk of the town at the price-more appearance, style, good material and workmanship than you could get for the money anywhere else- -now you can bny one pair or as many pairs of them as you want for only \$1.95 per pair. Proportionately low prices on all men's ahoes.

### Now Is the Accepted Time!

Now is the time to invest. If times seem tight that is all the more reason why you should save money in your purchases of footwear. We invite you to come. Hurry up while you will be sure you will be fitted. Come and save yourself rich.

## F.H. Cole Shoe Co.

148 East Main St. Sign of the Brass Foot Tracks.

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

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### LOCAL NEWS.

Denz, Tallor, 117 North Water St. You pay a little more for Sleeth's por traits but-

Hereafter the Hotel Brunswick will be heated by steam from the Whitmer plant. Smoke the Litle J., 5-cont eight, made

by Jacob Keck. Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds o bread, cakes, pies, etc. june 22-dtf Smoke the famous Leda, a fine 10 cent er, made by John Weigand. Meh 25 tf

Irwin's female tonic gives the best sa isfaction, large bottle 75 cents Sleeth is the only photographer in th city who guarantees satisfaction.

Smoke the Little J., a fine hand made Sumatra wrapper—5 cent cigar. For hearseness or soar threat use I

win's bronchial lozengers. The members of the Good Time Dane

ing club will give a ball tomorrow even ing at the Gebhart hall. Isaac H. Bishop of Mowenqua, has hom

granted an original pension through the To Rent Cheap, to a family without

children, a house of four rooms, cellar well, cistern and city water. Apply on premises, 705 North Union street.

One and one-third fare round trip to of the cycle show, Jan. 28 to 30, via Wa-

The Fullenwider truss cures rupture For sale by the Cerrodanie Co., 21 Synjan 16 d1m

No better soft coal in this market than and in or Riverton. Lincoln is the hard tur and the barder the coal the lenger it will born. Hard coal all sizes, always in stock at market price. Up town office, Irwin's drug store, office and yard 800 North Broadway, old phone 433, new phone 135 M. P. Metz,-91-d6f



As "Hot Stuff" in "A Black Sheep" at the Grand tomorrow night.



#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Lute Roby is in the city from Chicago Dr. Will Chenoweth is visiting in Cin-

Mrs. H. M. Kreidler went to Sangamon this morning on a visit.

Rov. D. E. May, of Mt. Zion, was it the city today on business

John Lutz, of Springfield, is in the city today on business.

Mrs. A. Louise Nellis is graing lessons in voice culture at Champaign. Will App of Blue Mound, is in the city

today visiting his cousin, Earle Sciber

Supervisors Thrift, of Hickory, and Draper, of Macon, were in the city to-day. Mrs. Amanda C. Taylor of Clinton, is

A. H. Barnett left this afternoon to

Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he will stay for the benefit of his health Thomas Enos of New Orleans, arrived in the city yesterday to visit his wife.

Ho is in very bad health, Kev. John C. Rapp, of the German Mathodist church, is in Nokomis assis-ing in a revival meeting.

George W. Betzer of Whitmore town-ship will leave to night for Mansfield, Iowa, to look after his farming interests in that section of the state.

Frank Clark has been put on duty as file clerk in the office of County Clerk Dodd, Mr. Clark will personally look fter all the files.

S. D Smith of Mt. Zion, was In the olty yesterday. He reports Mr. Vowell getting along very well. The old man had but one rib broken by his fall against a table in a seleon. He will be around in a few days.

#### AFTERNOON PARTY

Miss Madge Hays Entertains the Membe

The members of the basket ball team vere entertained this afternoon by Miss Madge Hays at the home of hor parents, Major and Mrs. F. L. Hays, on East Eldorado street. The guests included the nombers of the original basket tall team. The young ladies passed the afternoon playing six-hand outhro and at the close

The house was decorated in red, the club color. The rooms were lighted with red lamps and candalebras and red flow ers were used. The score cards were quite unique, being made in the shape of the ball used in the game and were red in color. The prize for the winner of the game was a red bronzed salvo box, snggestive as a remedy for the injuries which the young ladles might receive in the game which they expect to play soon Stronge on the certificate plan, account with the Bloomington team. The hostess received in a costume of red silk,

> The color scheme was carried out in the supper. The dishes, ice cream, cake and candies were all red. The entertainment was a bandsome one and the young ladies in attendance passed a most enjoyable

### ANOTHER FAMILY IN DISTRESS.

In a dwelling bouse at the corner of South Church and Jefferson streets, owned by Dick Stine, resides a family pamed Davis-five people-who are reported to the Republican as being in destitute circumstances and in need of immediate help Mr Davis cannot get employment, and his family are out of food and fuel and used clathing. The philanthropic people of the community should visit the Davis family and do what they can to relieve their immediate necessities. Mr. Stine is willing to let the family remain in the house for the present.

A Celebrated Lecture,

Mr. French is director of the Art In | Cause of fire unknown. stitute of Chicago, the most important art institution in the west, and one of the three or four foremost in the United States, taking rank with the Boston Art museum and the Metropolitan museum of New York. The art institute was founded in 1879, directly in pursuance of the efforts of Mr. French, and has never had any other director. It is now supported by the leading art patrons and business men of Chicago. It includes both a museum of art and a school of art, occupying the noble building upon the lake front at the foot of Adams street.

This museum includes extensive collectual was inaugurated governor at nonn totions of paintings, coulpture, antiquities day. He delicred a brief inaugural adand decorative objects, while the school dress. offers instruction in drawing, painting, sculpture, decorative designing and architecture and had last year 1607 students

Mr. French will deliver his lecture 'The Wit and Wisdom of the Crayon," at opera house Friday night, Jan. 22. Reserved seat plat opens at opera house pharmacy Wednesday morning.

Friday night the members of the Goodman band will give their annual banquet at Columbia Hall and will entertain a number of friends.

John Lowry and Charles Gladwell have started a general repair shop at the corner of Jackson and Prairie streets.

Quintar Special Prices on Quinine at West's 

To Stop a Cold in 30 Minutes, Take Contra-Cold Tablets, guaranteed or money refunded by all draggists, 20c. Regular meeting of the Grand Army

### MYERS TESTIFIES.

Dr. William A. Barnes will leave soon The Prisoner in the Murder Trial 18 on the Stand To-Day.

HE TELLS THE SAME STORY

That He Gave at the Former Tria!-- The Evidence Finished To-Day and Speeches Will Probably Be Made To-Night.

The Myers murder trial is drawing to a close and it will not be long before the ease is left in the bands of the jury. The defendant. Joe Myers, was put on the stand last night by his attorneys but he port of a trip made by a correspondence did not finish his testimony until this Las Luchu: morning. He told about the same story! as at the former trial. He says he came the bushes and trees burned, the h dad to the city in a buggy with a man he did stroyed, homes converted by the hand not know a id went to the Gross saloon on of rebels and Spanish altke. Into heaps East Main street. There he met a man ruins, the black and failen walls of white whom he supposed to be Gigham and covered with Rehen, only serve as a religi bought from him the watch for \$1 and for the lizards and owis; the cane felt afterward pawned it to White At the dried up and covered with bushes, if close of his testimony Mr. Mills took the towns full of people, of poor familio witness in hand and put him under a who daily troop down from the bull most severe cross examination. Myers greatly embarrassed. He said that he thought it was Gigham that he hought the watch from but would not say that he wasn't inistaken. Mr. Mills required the witness to give every detail of the purchase of the watch in the saloon. This afternoon there were more people

in the circuit court room than there has been for some time. Every available incl was taken up by spectators and there was hardly room for the attorneys to move about. About one hundred ladies were given seats and listened to the evidence. When the attorneys for the defense had Unished their case the prosecution put on

several witnesses in rehuttal to show that the character of Ed Thayer, one of the witnesses of the defense, was bad. The evidence in the case will be finished today and the arguments will begin tomorrow morning.

Clinton Notes

Cinton, IR., Jan. 19. -Cattle are dying in the vicinity of Clinton from a disease similar to that which has killed a number of horses. The animals, when first affected, reci and are evidently dizzy. A. J. Weaver of Clinton, has removed with his family to Bello River, Jefferson

county, Hinois. He sold flity acros of killed his wife and child. The prisence land at \$84 per acre and bought 120 acres will be re sentenced. nt \$35. He had lived in DeWitt county since 1850.

Minstensey Neeters.

Light refreshments will be served. All office she has lost but two days' time an ment ars are invited to attend

Configurations

Washington, Jan. 19 .- The senate commiltee voted to report favorably on the nomination of S. Forman of Hinois, to cern It has \$200 000 deposits and a cobe commissioner of internal revenue. The committee also ordered a favorable report on W S McCreary of Missonel, collector of the First district of Missouri.

called to the corner of East-Wood and subsequent joint session will declare the Webster streets to light a fire on the premiises of Mrs. Barbara Schoenle. The barn at the rear of the lot was destroyed.

Don't forget what we are about to say viz, winter caught black bass, trout, white, cropple, pickerel, smeltz, fioneless herring, lobster, fresh mackerel, scollops. Telephone 344.---19-34

K of P. Meeting

ero requested to be present. Tunnel Imagurated Dover, Del., Jan. 19.—Hon.W. E. Tun-

Gallinger Resolution, Concerd, N. H., Jan. 19.—Sonater Gal- | delivered the annual address. linger was today re-elected by the state legislature.

Mrs. Lieksomething Good and all ber the popular Pearl Oyster and Fish Co., telephone 344,---19 4b

Teller Got There, Denver, Col., Jan. 19.—Senator Teller was re-elected today by almost a unanimons vote by the state legislature.

Dedication of the new K. P. hall in Powers' block temerrow night.

### STARVING THE CUBANS.

Insurgents are Now Poginning to lee) Effects of the Destruction of the Plantations

Havana, Jan. 19.—Thre is en maying that the work of starving the property into subjection is being pulsed with  $\mathfrak{g}_0$ vigor and success than the wirk of subdaing them by force of aims and an sale destruction of plantations etc. to nger to General Ruis Rivers, the es Rio, arging him at all bazards to c a diversion in that part of the islan sending an overwhelming force again the insurgent army which is advantage from the east.

To deplet the situation in Pinar & Rio, nothing can be better than the

"The fields are wasted and abangons omneinted by hunger and fevers, in such way that they resemble skeletens:

COLLEGE GETS \$3,000,000.

ettlement of the Famous Fayer-Westler

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 19 .- The courter ppeals has affirmed the judgment of the ower court in the Faver-Weather widen. The late Daniel B. Fayer-Weather, a New York merchant, in his will after seven specific buquests, named cortain college which should be given stipulated sum and that the residue of the estate had vided share and share alikeamong censis educational Institutions. The effect of the decision is to distribute \$3,000,000 among the following destitutions: Amhorst, Bowdoln, Dartmoth Williams Yalo, Columbia, Hamilton, Latayette Lincoln, Maryvallo, Marietta, Adelbert Wabash, Park, Wosloyan University, Ru chester. Cornell, Virginia, Hampton Union Theological Seminary.

#### DUESTROW TO HANG

the Penalty,

Jefferson City, Mo . Jan. 19 The su reme court has affirmed the decree of the tower court in the case of Arthur Dustrow, the St. Louis millionaire, who

Penule Bank Cashler

Wubash, Ind., Jan 19.-Mrs. Samb Diok, the only female national bank col-The members of the missionary society for in the United States, was for the of the German Methodist church will twenty fourth consecutive time chosen to hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Con this position in the birst National took rad Ammann, No. 81 East Cantroll street of Huntington vesterday. In the twinty on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, three years that Mrs. Dick, has filled the account of Illness Bestdes M s Drk who is a director of the institution the hank has another lady director, Wis-Frederick Drover, who for years has talen an active interest in the uffairs of the conthat of \$100,000

Platt and Vest All Right Albany, N. Y , Jan. 10 -Hon Thome C. Platt, was elected. United States sent This afternoon the fire department was legislature voting separately today. The

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan 19, Senter Vest, was re elected by the legislature in separate session today. The result will be declared in joint session temorres.

Reign of Terror Story.

San Francisco, Jan. 19 -- News from Cavite. Phillipine Islands, is to the effect that in December, 150 prisoners in jail revoited, killed the guards and escaped The greatest alarm resulted. The con-The regular meeting of the Chevaller victs made their way to the interior, di Buyard Lodge, K. of P., will be held this viding into groups. The people turned evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members and hunted the runaways with the result that ninety were killed and 18 or 20 cap tured.

> Implement Desters. Kansas City, Jan. 19.—The annual con

vention of Western Implement dealers as sociation is in session here. The fore noon was devoted to organization. In the afternoon the president, C. G. Cartle

Sorda! Seeda! Seeda!

Garden, flower and field seeds in bulk Dan Culp, the old reliable acedemen, "it ine radishes, letture, celery, etc., from toen yours experience with George 5 Durfes & Bro., will open up about Jan 25, with a fresh stock of garden, flower and field seeds at No. 223 North Main street. The only exclusive good store in Decatur, -15d-t/

> "Hoonla!" The new two step composed by Marie Powers is on sale at Powers' shee store

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senator, owing to the fact that th had been decided by inst night' ille legislators were slow in a maxing been fatigued by the ex of the past three days. Scarcel, members were in their souts w house was called to order. A n lells were introduced, after which was taken till noon. There was equorum of the senute when it ed to order and after five minute r recess was taken till noon, w hours mot in joint session for for of United States senator.

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a from this afternoon elect bot ones, 58: in senate 37. Vicil in the house 61, in 1 otal, 77 In Defail. He senate and house met it

estion at noon. All the sens m. were present. All represen at Area. The murnals of the senate were fread. Rej Shurrook of Christian country. W. L. Mason for United State arlowing speech. He review ere of the Republican par how the country had prospers adminstration. He reviewed of the Democratic party to a had declined when it was in gove sketches of Washingto orfield, Logan and Grant. han Alshuler neminated John in a brief speech. There was ing and applause. Several dereches for both candidates Then the roll of the senate an 'alled, resulting as follow Sason, 37, Altgeld, 13, Stric Hermo, Misson, 88; Altgold Maron, 125; Altgeld, 77.

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Mason Warmly Gre Senator Mason was greate tplause whon he appear ourse of his speech he said I ly necessary to state his po money question. Like a ma 150,000 other citizens of Il toted for an honest dollar haver of enforcing the Mon and declared in vehement to favored the recognition of rights of the Cuban insurger challen be said be would loc interests of the old soldiers. Senator Littler presente lution, eulogizing Senstor tecommending him to the McKinley an a man emipe or a cashinet position. Ado The joint assembly then